

## Activity #2: Positive Feedback and Encouragement

### Reflect on Experiences

#### Some Starters for Giving Positive Feedback and Encouragement

- “You do a dynamite job of...”
- “You have really learned how to...”
- “You must feel proud of yourself for...”
- “Excellent idea for...”
- “You’ve done a wonderful job at...”
- “See how \_\_\_\_\_ has improved in...”
- “You have worked so hard...”
- “Look how well s/he did at...”
- “That’s a resourceful way of...”
- “WOW!! What a fabulous job you’ve done of...”
- “That’s a cool way to ...”
- “I’m so appreciative that you...”
- “It really pleases me when you...”
- “You’ve really grown up because you...”
- “You are a real problem solver for...”
- “Brilliant thinking for...”
- “Give me an EXTRA HUGE high five for...”
- “Class, I have an announcement! Let’s all give a hip, hip hooray to \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_”
- “I really appreciate the way all of you have your eye on the story and are listening so carefully. It’s like you have eye-ball glue!!!”

**Your favorites here...**

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